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File No.: AP MIN EEC AK 03 2024 202
Government of India
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(Issued by the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority(SEIAA),
ANDHRA PRADESH)



Dated 19/09/2025



To,

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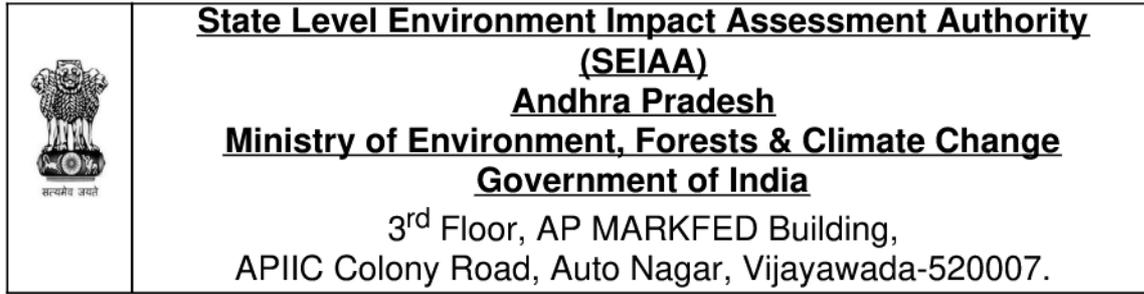
Subject: Extension in validity of prior Environmental Clearance (EC) dated granted to the project under the provision of the EIA Notification 2006 and as amended thereof regarding.

Sir/Madam,

This is in reference to your application submitted to Ministry vide proposal number SIA/AP/MIN/465719/2024 dated 12/03/2024 for an extension in validity of prior Environmental Clearance (EC) granted to the project under the provision of the EIA Notification 2006-and as amended thereof.

2. The particulars of the proposal are as below :

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| (i) Validity Extension Identification No. | EC24C0108AP5991477N |
| (ii) File No. | AP MIN EEC AK 03 2024 202 |
| (iii) Clearance Type | Application for Validity Extension of EC- Form-6 |
| (iv) Category | B2 |
| (v) Schedule No./ Project Activity | 1(a) Mining of minerals |
| (vii) Name of Project | Sri Dokala Simhadrappadu |
| (viii) Location of Project (District, State) | ANAKAPALLI, ANDHRA PRADESH |
| (ix) Issuing Authority | SEIAA |
| (x) EC date | |
| (xi) Status of implementation of the project | CTE was taken and project is under construction/development |
| (xii) Whether any amendment to the earlier EC has been sought? | No |



Order No. SEIAA/AP/MIN/EEC/AK/03/2024/202/270.07&270.05

Sub: **SEIAA, A.P. – 0.65 Ha, Road Metal and Building Stone Mine of Sri Dokala Simhadrapadu, Sy.No.:134 of Cheedikada Village Cheedikada Mandal, Anakapalli District (Erstwhile Visakhapatnam District), Andhra Pradesh - Extension of Environmental Clearance validity – Issued - Reg.**

- Ref:
1. EC Order No. SEIAA/AP/VSP/MIN/12/2019/1568-30, Dt. 11.06.2020.
 2. Application submitted by the proponent through online on 12.03.2024 for Extension of Environmental Clearance validity (SIA/AP/MIN/465719/2024).
 3. Clarification submitted on 04.06.2025 & 02.08.2025.

- I. The SEIAA, A.P, vide reference 1st cited issued Environmental Clearance order to the 0.65 Ha, Road Metal and Building Stone Mine at Sy.No.134 of Cheedikada Village Cheedikada Mandal, Visakhapatnam District, Andhra Pradesh in favour of Sri Dokala Simhadrapadu with production capacity of Road Metal and Building Stone – 16,500 m³/annum. This order is valid for a period of 3.53 years or the expiry date of mine lease or land lease period issued by the Government of AP., Whichever is earlier.
- II. The proponent vide reference 2nd cited submitted application to the SEIAA for extension of Environmental Clearance validity.
- III. Accordingly, the request of the proponent was examined by the State level Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC) in its meetings held on **12.08.2025**.

The representative of the project and their consultant M/s. HECS have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that:

- a. This proposal was placed in 246th & 266th SEAC meeting and then the

project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting, and the committee recommend to **defer as the PP not attended the meeting.**

- b. The SEIAA, A.P., vide order dt. 11.06.2020 issued Environmental Clearance to **Subject mine**, for mining of Road Metal & Building Stone 16,500 m³/annum and which is valid for 3.53 years or the expiry date of mine lease period.
- c. The Department of Mines and Geology vide order dt. 29.01.2021 issued work order for 10 years w.e.f 04.05.2019.
- d. The applicant applied for extension of validity of EC on 12.03.2024.
- e. As per the approved mining plan dt. 16.02.2024 the total mineral reserves is 65581 m³ and Life of the mine is 13.11 years.
- f. The PP vide letter dt. 22.02.2024 uploaded half yearly compliance report in the Parivesh Portal in their login.
- g. The PP vide Lr dated 16.05.2025 submitted the details of dispatch particulars and permits within limit only.

The committee noted that the Project Proponent (PP) has developed some plantation around mine leases area and not developed the greenbelt over the past 04 years in **approach roads to the mine**. Therefore, the committee recommended granting an Environmental Clearance (EC) extension for a limited period of 01 year. Additionally, the committee directed the PP to undertake greenbelt development around the mine lease area, along the approach roads, and in surrounding villages, in accordance with the conditions stipulated in the EC. Compliance with these requirements will be essential for consideration of any further extension of the EC.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications, & OMs, MoEF&CC OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to SEIAA to issue EC Extension** for mining of Road Metal & Building Stone 16,500 m³/annum for a period up to 31.08.2026 with a condition that conditions mentioned in the earlier EC remains same.

- IV. The State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA), in its meeting held on 08.09.2025 examined the proposal and agreed with the recommendations of SEAC to issue Extension of Environmental Clearance validity up to 31.08.2026.
- V. **The SEIAA, A.P, hereby extends the validity period of the Environmental clearance order dt.11.06.2020 up to 31.08.2026 with the following additional conditions:**

- i. The mining operations shall be in accordance with the latest Notifications & OMs issued by the MoEF&CC, GoI.
 - ii. The project proponent shall follow the orders of National Green Tribunal passed in O.A.No.304/2019.
- VI. All other information mentioned, and conditions stipulated in the EC order dt. 11.06.2020 issued vide reference 1st cited remains the same.

SPECIAL SECRETARY TO GOVT
MEMBER SECRETARY, SEIAA, A.P. MEMBER, SEIAA, A.P. CHAIRMAN, SEIAA, A.P.

To

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Cheedikada Village, and Mandal,
Anakapalli District, Andhra Pradesh - 531001.

Copy to:

1. The Chairman, SEAC, A.P. for kind information.
2. The Member Secretary, APPCB for kind information.
3. The EE, RO: Visakhapatnam, APPCB for information.
4. The MoEF&CC, GoI Sub-office Vijayawada for kind information.
5. The Secretary, MoEF&CC, GoI, New Delhi for kind information.
6. Monitoring Cell, MoEF&CC, GoI, New Delhi for kind information.
7. The District Collector, Anakapalli District, Andhra Pradesh for kind information.